

## Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 STATE 072176  
ORIGIN OES-07

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 EUR-12 ISO-00 COME-00 EB-08 ACDA-12  
IO-14 /064 R

DRAFTED BY OES:TRREYNDERS:HPOLLACK:MLK  
APPROVED BY OES:PTMINK  
DESIRED DISTRIBUTION  
NOAA

-----073682 211910Z /46

R 211715Z MAR 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY PARIS  
AMCONSUL FRANKFURT  
AMEMBASSY MADRID  
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI  
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
INFO AMEMBASSY BONN

UNCLAS STATE 072176

ALSO FOR EEC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TGEN, WMO

SUBJECT: INFORMAL WORKSHOP OF DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
WEATHER MODIFICATION ADVISORY BOARD

1) LAST YEAR THE US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ESTABLISHED  
A WEATHER MODIFICATION ADVISORY BOARD COMPOSED OF PERSONS  
FROM OUTSIDE THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. IT IS CHARGED WITH  
RECOMMENDING NATIONAL POLICY AND A COORDINATED RESEARCH  
PROGRAM IN RESPONSE TO THE NATIONAL WEATHER MODIFICATION  
POLICY ACT OF 1976. THE BOARD IS ALSO REQUIRED TO MAKE  
RECOMMENDATIONS ON FUTURE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION,  
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 STATE 072176

REGULATION AND RESEARCH IN THIS FIELD. A NUMBER OF INTER-  
NATIONAL EXPERTS HAVE BEEN INVITED BY BOARD CHAIRMAN HARLAN  
CLEVELAND TO ATTEND AN INFORMAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE  
AT THE WMO IN GENEVA BEGINNING 9 A.M. 17 APRIL AND ENDING  
5 P.M. 18 APRIL.

2) AMONG INVITEES ARE PROFESSOR HANS W. GEORGII, DEPART-

MENT OF METEOROLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF FRANKFURT/MAIN  
FELDBERGSTRASSE 47, D6 FRANKFURT/MAIN, FRG; MLLE MARIE-  
ANNIC MARTIN-SANE, SCIENTIFIC AFFAIRS, MINISTRE DES AFFAIRS  
ETRANGERES, 21 BIS RUE LA PEROUSE, PARIS; PROFESSOR MUSTAFA  
TOLBA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, UNITED NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROGRAM, UNITERRA NAIROBI, KENYA; DR. GUNTER SCHUSTER,

DIRECTOR-GENERAL FOR RESEARCH SCIENCE & EDUCATION,  
COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES, RUE DE LA LOI  
200, 1049 BRUSSELS, BELGIUM; AND MR. I. FONT TULLOT,  
DIRECTOR-GENERAL, METEOSPA, MADRID, SPAIN.

3) OTHER INVITEES INCLUDE Y. SEDUNOV OF USSR, B.J.  
MASON OF UK, B. FEDERER OF SWITZERLAND, O. VITTORI OF  
ITALY, G. SOULAGE OF FRANCE, E. MESZAROS OF HUNGARY AND  
A. NUBERG OF SWEDEN.

4) THE BOARD HAS REQUESTED THAT ADDRESSEE POSTS, AT THEIR  
DISCRETION, ENCOURAGE THE INVITEES LISTED IN PARA 2 TO  
ACCEPT ITS INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE APRIL 17-18  
GENEVA MEETING. VANCE

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 jan 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** WEATHER MODIFICATION  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 21 mar 1978  
**Decaption Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** n/a  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:**  
**Disposition Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1978STATE072176  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** TRREYNDERS:HPOLLACK:MLK  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D780124-0897  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** STATE  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1978/newtext/t19780341/aaaabixh.tel  
**Line Count:** 83  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** a02a61c0-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ORIGIN OES  
**Original Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** n/a  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 29 mar 2005  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** N/A  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 3253024  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** INFORMAL WORKSHOP OF DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE WEATHER MODIFICATION ADVISORY BOARD 1) LAST YEAR THE US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ESTABL  
**TAGS:** TGEN, PORG, FR, US, WMO  
**To:** PARIS FRANKFURT MULTIPLE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkgvkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/a02a61c0-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Sheryl P. Walter  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
20 Mar 2014  
**Markings:** Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014